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Coronavirus COVID-19 – Government Action – June 11, 2020

CONGRESS

- Senate Committee on Homeland Security & Governmental Affairs held a [hearing June 9, 2020](#), on Evaluating the Federal Government’s Procurement and Distribution Strategies in response to COVID-19 that included [FEMA data](#) on nation’s supply of personal protective equipment
- [June 9 Letter](#) from Congressional Budget Committee to House Speaker on pandemic and its impact on US economy

FEDERAL AGENCIES AND DEPARTMENTS

- **Centers for Disease Control and Prevention**
 - [Information for Laboratories About COVID-19](#), June 10, 2020
 - [FAQs About COVID-19 for Laboratories](#), updated June 10, 2020
 - [Using Telehealth to Expand Access to Essential Health Services During Pandemic](#), June 20, 2020
 - [Suggestions for Youth and Summer Camps](#), updated June 9, 2020
 - [Guidance for CDC Staff for Establishment and Management of Public Health Rapid Response Teams for Disease Outbreaks: COVID-19 Disease Supplement](#), June 9, 2020
 - [SARS-CoV-2 Infections, Serologic Responses from Sample of US Navy Service Members, April 2020](#) (investigation of COVID-19 among young adults), early release June 9, 2020
 - Cases in the US, [updated June 11, 2020](#)
 - Testing Data in the US, [updated June 10, 2020](#)
- **Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services**
 - [Nursing Home Residents’ Right to Retain Federal Economic Incentive Payments](#), June 11, 2020
 - [FAQs for Non-Long-Term Facilities and Intermediate Care Facilities for Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities](#), June 2020
- **US Equal Employment Opportunity Commission**
 - [EEOC Issues Updated COVID-19 Technical Assistance Publication](#), June 11, 2020
- **Federal Communications Commission**
 - [Remarks of FCC Chairman at Federalist Society “COVID-19 and the Law” Conference](#), June 11, 2020
- **Federal Trade Commission**
 - [FTC Makes More State-Level Data Available About COVID-19-Related Complaints From Consumers](#), June 11, 2020
- **Food & Drug Administration**
 - [Q&A for Consumers: Hand Sanitizers and COVID-19](#), June 10, 2020
 - [COVID-19 Update: Daily Roundup June 10, 2020](#)
- **National Institutes of Health**
 - [NIH Researchers Identify Key Genomic Features That Could Differentiate SARS-Cov-2 from Other Coronaviruses That Cause Less Severe Disease](#), June 11, 2020
- National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities
 - [Grant Application and Submission Information - Community Interventions to Reduce Impact of COVID-19 on Health Disparity and Other Vulnerable Populations](#)

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- **US Department of Health and Human Services**
 - [HHS Awards \\$8 Million to Expand COVID-19 Training and Technical Assistance for Health Centers](#), June 11, 2020
 - [Dataset - HHS Provider Relief Fund](#), updated June 11, 2020
- **US Department of Homeland Security**
 - FEMA
 - [Advisory - Guidance for Providing Mass Care During Pandemic](#), June 10, 2020
 - [Memorandum - Mass Care/Emergency Assistance Pandemic Planning Considerations Guide](#), June 9, 2020
 - [Guide - Mass Care/Emergency Assistance Pandemic Planning Considerations](#), June 2020
 - [Resource Page - COVID-19 Emergency Managers Best Practices](#), updated June 10, 2020
- **US Department of Housing and Urban Development**
 - [HUD Provides Remaining \\$2.96 Billion in CARES Act Funding for Homeless Populations Amid Coronavirus Recovery](#), June 9, 2020
- **US Department of the Treasury**
 - Internal Revenue Service
 - [IRS Provides Guidance on Employer Leave-Based Donation Programs Aiding Pandemic Victims](#), June 11, 2020
 - [Notice 2020-46 - Treatment of Amounts Paid to Section 170\(c\) Organizations Under Employer Leave-Based Donation Programs to Aid Pandemic Victims](#), June 11, 2020
 - Small Business Administration
 - [Revisions to First Interim Final Rule - Paycheck Protection Program](#), June 11, 2020
 - [Borrower Application Form - Paycheck Protection Program](#), revised June 2020
 - [Lender Application Form - Paycheck Protection Program](#), revised June 2020

STATES

- **State Actions Addressing Business Reopenings**
 - Maine
 - [Order Regarding Travelers Into Maine](#) implements [Keep Maine Healthy](#) plan
 - Allows travelers to Maine with a recent negative COVID-19 test to forgo the state's 14-day quarantine requirement and exempts New Hampshire (NH) and Vermont (VT) residents from the travel requirement, effective immediately; provides that NH and VT residents may stay in lodging establishments beginning June 12, 2020
 - Travelers to Maine who are not residents of NH or VT will be asked to produce a [Certificate of Compliance](#) at lodging check-in indicating that they have either received a negative COVID-19 test result, will quarantine in Maine for 14 days, or have completed their quarantine in Maine, effective July 1, 2020
 - New Hampshire
 - [Stay at Home 2.0](#) - Provides reopening dates, guidelines, and basic minimum standards for various businesses to maintain or begin their operations